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Enclosed for filing in the above-identified application is a PTO/SB/08 Equivalent listing 13 (thirteen) references to be considered by the Examiner. Also enclosed are 9 (nine) foreign patent references and/or non-patent literature as listed on the Information Disclosure Statement.

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CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1)

I hereby certify that each item of information contained in this Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart of a related foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement. Although U.S. 6,630,282, 6,949,329, 7,312,014, and 2004/0033438 were not directly cited in the counterpart foreign application, they are the English language equivalents of JP 2002-062655, JP 2002-062656, JP 2003-075998, WO 03/007079, and JP 2003-107707, respectively, and are therefore submitted herewith.

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